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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 6, 2003, the Applicant submits the following amendment and remarks for consideration in the above-identified patent application.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 1, and 12-14, without prejudice.

<u>REMARKS</u>

By this document, the Applicant has cancelled Claims 1, and 12-14. Thus, Claims 2-11 and 15-19 are now pending.

Discussion of Allowable Subject Matter

In paragraph 3 (on page 3) of the Office Action, the Examiner stated that Claims 2-11 and 15-19 are allowed.





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